

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 1, please amend paragraph [0001] as follows:

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

[0001] This case is a continuation-in-part of ~~US-Ser.~~ U.S. Serial No. 09/674,062, filed on January 3, 2001, now U.S. Patent No. _____, which is incorporated herein by reference, and is the national stage application of PCT/CN99/00059, having a filing date of April 26, 1999 and claiming priority to CN 98108105.3, filed on April 26, 1998.